

Madison 'dumps' Pashoff

By Andy Siering
Staff writer

MADISON — In a hastily called meeting Wednesday night, the executive board of the Madison city political organization "dumped" Christ Pashoff, Venice Township supervisor for the last 16 years.

Endorsed instead for supervisor in the April election was Richard Paterson, a township trustee.

Madison traditionally gets to pick the supervisor, the tax collector and two of the four trustees, while the Venice organization picks the clerk, the assessor and the other two trustees, members of the groups have said. The resulting slate usually prevails in

the townshipwide voting.

C.S. "Casey" Krakowiecki was endorsed for another term as tax collector, and Joseph Asperger was endorsed for Paterson's trustee slot.

A Madison alderman, Ron Grzywacz, who plans to run for mayor, said Mayor John Bellico informed him of the 7 p.m. meeting at 5 p.m. Grzywacz alleged the Pashoff ouster was Bellico's idea and said Bellico had called many persons, telling them how to vote.

Bellico said some of the candidates had asked for a meeting, so he called it.

He declined to comment on why Pashoff was not endorsed, other than to say that the organization felt Paterson's candidacy would

lend strength to the ticket.

Pashoff said he had no inkling that the action was coming. "Bellico double-crossed me," he said Friday.

Pashoff also blamed Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols, who he said may resent him for something the trustees had done, but he declined to elaborate.

Pashoff made an impassioned 40-minute speech and left before the vote, a source said.

"I told them about the three-and-a-half million dollars I've gotten for Madison and Venice," Pashoff said. "I've given so much to the people."

The Venice city organization has not yet endorsed candidates for township positions.

Car hits building; man, girl trapped

GRANITE CITY — A man and a young woman were trapped in a car which struck a utility pole and the southwest corner of the Creative Travel building, 3910 Nameoki Road just south of Pontoon Road, at 4:40 a.m. Friday.

When officials arrived at the scene they found Robert E. Nelson, 34, of St. Louis pinned behind the steering wheel and a passenger, Paula Busler, 16, Tarkio, Mo., trapped in the front passenger seat.

Both were extricated from the auto by members of the Granite City Fire Department Rescue Squad.

The two occupants suffered numerous injuries to the face and body from the crash, reports said. They were taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where Nelson was expected to undergo sur-

gery Friday.

Busler was transferred to Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, and also was scheduled to have surgery.

The 1971 Lincoln Continental was traveling north on Nameoki Road at a high speed when it left the roadway and hit the power pole and building, a witness said.

Nelson, who initially denied being the driver, declined to take a blood alcohol test. He was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and with reckless driving.

Illinois Power Co. repair crews were still working at the scene at 6:30 a.m. Friday and traffic heading north on Nameoki Road was being routed east on Amos Avenue to Pontoon Road.

The impact damaged the foundation of the building.

New county officers bring changes

By Dennis Grubaugh
Managing editor

EDWARDSVILLE — Potentially signaling a new generation of leaders in county government, three new faces were among those sworn in this week in the county seat.

All three have had long ties to county government, however.

William Haine, 44, of Alton, became the new state's attorney after defeating incumbent Dick Allen of Granite City in last spring's primary. Haine resigned both his county board seat and chairmanship of the Madison County Transit District to take over as the county's chief legal officer.

Already he has made a series of changes, aimed at both improving the service of the office and staying in touch with the budget.

"It's been real interesting. I'm up to my neck in alligators, but I like it," Haine said Friday. "I think we have done very well in our first 48 hours just keeping afloat."

Haine said he has his assistants on line and is anxious to get into court.

"We've got a couple of trials coming up and I'm looking forward to getting this thing back on track."

Haine said he would attempt to reverse the motion by Allen on his last day in office to withdraw the request for the death penalty in the case of Girves Davis — currently on trial for the murder of a Maryville-area woman.

"I think that's my prerogative, just as it was Dick Allen's to withdraw the request," Haine said. "But I think there is no hope of changing the law or gains he made. I think those are



NEW MADISON COUNTY AUDITOR Fred Bathon shares a humorous moment with his first assistant in the Felton Division, Dean Sweet will head the Civil Division. Casper Nighobossian will handle (See COUNTY, Page 8A)

dead and gone."

The Madison County employees' union is rumored to be planning to file grievances on behalf of two employees Haine fired, but Haine said he had abided by terms of the contract in their

dismissal. Released were Edwin Garrett and Glen Sprankle.

"The two employees released didn't even have a job description," Haine said. "They didn't do anything that I need to have done in the office that I'm aware

of."

Haine hired Mike Nieskes as his first assistant in the Felton Division. Dean Sweet will head the Civil Division.

Casper Nighobossian will handle (See COUNTY, Page 8A)

Madison schools approve adding speech therapist

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

MADISON — Following a series of complaints from a half-dozen parents at Thursday night's meeting, the District 12 board passed a motion to hire a third speech therapist.

"I am not just here on behalf of my son," Laura Lawrence said. "I am here on behalf of every kid needing speech who is not getting it."

Lawrence's son was recently removed from the speech program. She said she was told by Harris School Principal David Becherer that there was no room for him in speech classes.

Lawrence presented President John Hamm III with a list of 42 children she said were "either dropped from the speech program or had not been evaluated."

Hamm asked Arthur Carter, administrative aide, if he knew of these 42 children being dropped from the program.

Carter said that each year students are evaluated to determine speech deficiencies. "Research has proven that many young kids with speech problems grow out of them. If they are still present after the third grade, then arrangements are made for that child to begin speech in the

fourth grade," Carter said.

"They don't need it then; they need it now," Lawrence said.

Special Education Director Steve Balen had told the board last month that he did not recommend the hiring of a third speech therapist for the district.

Anna Potts said she recently talked to Balen and he told her there was no reason her daughter should be removed from speech instruction if she needs it.

Potts said one of her children had been dropped from the speech program without notification and she feared that a second child, still within the program, might also be dropped.

According to Potts, Balen blamed the situation on a "mix-up" for which he claimed at least partial responsibility.

"We will hire a teacher as quick as we can," Hamm said. He said the position would be filled within two weeks.

Balen said that he knew of only 12 children who were dropped from the program and that an additional nine who "genuinely needed speech therapy" had been placed in the program.

He also said that he had only spoken to one parent, arranged a conference and thought that the matter had been settled.

MESD won't challenge ballot

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Although Centerville Mayor Riley Owens wants to, Shang Greathouse, Metro East Sanitary District director, said he will not challenge the November ballot.

At issue is the possibility that voters in Centerville's 1st Ward who do not live in the Metro East Sanitary District voted on the MESD tax rate referendum. Owens reported that a city worker, who doesn't live in the district, voted on the referendum.

The rate increase lost by 1,202 votes.

"I looked real close," Greathouse. "But you can't pick up 1,200 votes in one ward. That 1st Ward has six precincts, and I looked at the numbers and they were all real close, so even if it were thrown out it wouldn't make any difference."

"I'm convinced that the election was legitimate. I wish I wasn't."

"I wish I could believe I had grounds for a challenge. But I don't. I've gone over all the infor-

mation, and if I challenged it I would just look like a sore loser."

Greathouse said he will do everything possible to get the proposal on the April ballot.

"Losing by 1,200 votes out of 32,000 cast isn't bad," he said. "If we had a couple more weeks, I think we could have won it."

"In April maybe there will be less things on the ballot. I've been going over the numbers and 55 percent of the voters didn't vote on it at all. Does this mean 55 percent of the people don't care if they get wet?"

The tax proposal was needed to give the district money to pay its share of a \$31 million improvement program, most of which would have been financed by the federal government.

The plan called for an increase of 27 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation for five years, then dropping back to 10 cents above the current rate.

The MESD has not had a tax rate increase since its formation as the East Side Levee and Sanitary District more than 80 years ago.

ETG may occupy Louis Baer next year

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

MADISON — Louis Baer School may well have tenants next year — if the public is as pleased with the idea as both the Madison School District and officials of the Educational Therapy Center.

Proposed use of the former elementary school by the center

is in the earliest of planning stages.

Superintendent Dan Kostencki reported to the board at Thursday night's meeting that he had taken E.T.C. Director David Blue and Coordinator Bob Burkethomas on a tour of the school early last week.

"They seemed ecstatic, particularly Mr. Burkethomas, with the possibility of utilizing the

facility," Kostencki said.

Now occupying a wing of the former Lake School in Granite City, the E.T.C. is planning ahead should District 9 need the space next year due to the declining condition of Webster Elementary School.

The E.T.C. teaches behaviorally disturbed students. It serves the Venice, Madison and Granite (See LOUIS BAER, Page 8A)



U.S. MAIL DETOURED: Metal containers loaded with mail shifted inside this truck causing it to overturn and slide nearly 280 feet. The accident took out about 125 feet of guard rail on Illinois 111 at 3:40 p.m. Thursday. Robert Gaiday, 41, was driving down the Interstate 270 exit ramp leading to the southbound lanes of 111 when the accident occurred. Rescue workers from the Mitchell and Long Lake Volunteer fire departments extricated Gaiday, who was trapped inside the cab. He sustained cuts and abrasions to the head and legs and was taken by Campbell Ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he was admitted.

(Photo by Buddy Bortz)

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Thursday, Dec. 5, 1963

Second Ward Alderman Sam Whitmer was named to head Granite City's Air Pollution Study Committee with Theodore Woeth, Raymond Wafer, and Aldermen Paul Rutledge, 4th Ward, and William McGee, 6th Ward.

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Sounds of Christmas

Salvation Army volunteer bell ringers are stationed with the familiar red kettles at financial institutions, grocery stores and other locations in the Quad City area through Dec. 23. Donations to the annual Tree of Lights drive help more than 1,300 local needy families enjoy the Christmas season.



WILLIAM TELL STYLE: Jaron Naney, a Parkview School fourth-grader, gets an archery lesson from Mike Finney, a professional archer. Finney and his wife Fay recently visited the school, giving a history of the bow and arrow, performing trick shots and demonstrating different varieties of bows.

Wins discrimination suit against SIUE

The former head of the family planning clinic at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has won a federal sex discrimination case against the university.

A U.S. District Court jury ruled Nov. 18 in Alton that in firing Susan Lieber, SIUE officials discriminated and retaliated against her for filing a grievance with a state agency against the university.

The jury awarded \$116,661 to Lieber, now a nurse-midwife in St. Louis County.

Lieber, formerly a full-time instructor in SIUE's School of Nursing, founded SIUE's family planning clinic in July 1978. University officials fired her in September 1981.

University officials said they will ask U.S. District Judge William Beatty to set aside the judgment. Otherwise, the university will appeal, spokesman Sam Smith said.

Lieber originally worked 20 hours a week at the clinic, spending eight to 10 hours with patients and the rest in administrative work.

In 1981, then Dean of Students Dan Doelger told Lieber she had to see patients for 20 hours, but he refused to adjust her hours

and pay to cover administrative work, according to the lawsuit.

Meanwhile, Doelger gave Dr. Phillip Dennis, a psychiatrist for SIUE's health service, a pay increase and adjusted his hours, the lawsuit stated.

Lieber testified during the two-week trial that Doelger told her that "all women belong at home."

Lieber's attorney, Mary Anne Sedey, said she thought Lieber won the case because the jury believed that "a comparable male employee was treated so differently and...there was sex discrimination that was shown by an administrator (who) made those remarks."

SIUE President Earl Lazonson, Vice President for Administration Earl Beard and former Vice President and Provost Barbara Teters also were named as defendants.

The jury found all four liable on the retaliation allegation and found Doelger and Beard liable on the sex discrimination charge.

Despite rulings in Lieber's favor by both a university grievance committee and the Illinois Human Rights Commission SIUE officials refused to rehire her in 1982 and 1984, Sedey said.



HONORED: Victoria M. Becker, a freshman from Granite City, was awarded the Richard Schaefer Scholarship at the 12th annual Western Illinois University Foundation Scholars' Presentation Ceremony held Nov. 6. The award is given to outstanding students majoring in geology.

St. Elizabeth's School honors 52 students

Following the first grading period of the 1988 school year, St. Elizabeth School has announced that 52 students are on the honor roll.

Students must receive at least 80 percent "A" grades for high honors and at least 60 percent "A" grades for the honor roll.

Those on the combined high honor roll and honor roll include:

Eighth grade — Julie Goclan, JoAnn Gray, Sunil Kumar, Ann Logan and Steve Lubak.

Seventh grade — Matt Blankenship, Brian Goff, Charlie Loftus, Francisco Prez, Matt Ruder and Brent Sobel.

Sixth grade — Erica Alsop, Lea Ames, Amy Bausch, Wendy

Cuvar, Chrissy Friedel, Karla Gresham, Joanne Grobelski, Eric Hahn, Valerie Hasty, Corey Kessler, Sabina Kumar, Jason Mathes, Doug Mills, Lesly Neff, Jeff Puszek, Carrie Schaus, Joey Stimac, Joey Tanner, Jenny Thornton, Lynn Yehling and Dena Zotti.

Fifth grade — Joseph Basuel, Bari Baum, Brian Blankenship, Charlie Bukovac, Beth Goclan, Steve Logan and Matt Tanase.

Fourth grade — Lisa Badgett, Jessica Bladdick, Melanie Genser, Josh Hill, Matt James, Rachael Kulaza, Sangeeta Kumar, Steven Mathes, Johnny Mills, Paddy Mullen, Kristlyn Niggli, Scott Tankersley and Amy Tapp.

Montessori hires Luedke

The Edwardsville Montessori School, Granite City, has added physical education to its curriculum.

Sharyn Luedke, Alton, has been hired as a part-time teacher and will meet with grades kindergarten through six once a week.

Luedke will place particular emphasis on awareness of movement and establishing good balance with the younger children.

Luedke has a bachelor of arts degree in physical education and eight years of teaching experience, including work with pre-schoolers.

Panel recommends closing of Assumption, 3 grade schools

By Bonita Gower-Tillman
Staff affiliate

BELLEVILLE — A panel studying the future of Catholic education in East St. Louis recommended the closing of Assumption High School and the consolidation of four elementary schools into one.

The suggestions, which will be given to Bishop James Keleher for a final decision, were announced at a press conference in Belleville on Nov. 28.

Under the plan, St. Martin's School in Washington Park, and St. Joseph's and St. Philip's in East St. Louis would be closed. St. Patrick's School, 736 N. 33rd St., would house the consolidated elementary school.

If approved, the changes would become effective at the end of the 1988-89 school year.

Declining enrollment, limited available subsidies from the diocese, a lack of long-range financial support, extensive building repair and asbestos abatement

were cited as the basis for the recommendations.

The diocese had been contributing \$150,000 a year in subsidies to the schools, but that was not enough to allow for more than one school, the panel reported.

Assumption's enrollment had dropped from 328 students last year to 287 this year. Enrollment at all four elementary schools dropped by 180 from last year, the Rev. Msgr. Margason, vicar general of the diocese, said earlier this month.

In the new consolidated elementary school, class enrollment will be limited to 30 students in grades one through eighth and 25 in kindergarten.

Admission criteria will include, but not be limited to, a student's ability to function within one year of their grade level and parent's participation in the education of their children.

The consolidated school will "provide quality education for students who can make appro-

prate progress in a regular school environment," according to the panel's statement.

Catholic students will be given priority over non-Catholics. Special efforts will be made to help Catholic high school students — with tuition assistance — who want to attend other Catholic schools in the area, the panel reported.

That help will be provided through some of the diocesan funds presently used to fund Assumption. In addition, a youth program will be provided in the community.

The panel expressed sensitivity to conditions in East St. Louis, saying the recommendations took them to an "undesirable, difficult and sometimes painful reality."

However, the church plans to continue its educational involvement in the community.

The bishop's decision is expected in January.

Montessori kids visit symphony

First through sixth graders at the Edwardsville Montessori School, Granite City, attended the "We Gather Together" concert at Powell Symphony Hall in St. Louis.

The concert reflected on the many different ethnic and racial groups which have come together over the last 300 years, forming the collective background of America. This "musical tapestry" was bound up by the Thanksgiving hymn, "We Gather Together."

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Granite City Public Schools

Monday - Macaroni and cheese.

Tuesday - Chili and crackers, peanut butter sandwich, fruit cup.

Wednesday - Spanish-style beef over rice, corn, chilled apple sauce.

Thursday - Taco with cheese, lettuce, tomato, buttered vegetables, fruit cup.

Friday - Fish sandwich, macaroni and cheese, buttered vegetable, cole slaw, fruit cup.

Madison Public Schools

Monday - Salisbury steak and gravy, buttered rice, mixed vegetables, apple sauce.

Tuesday - Ravioli and cheese sauce, buttered corn, tossed salad, pudding.

Wednesday - Pork patties, corn bread, sweet potatoes, green beans, gelatin.

Thursday - Sloppy Joe on bun, french fries, fruit cup.

Friday - Grilled cheese, vegetable-beef soup, pineapple upside down cake.

Venice Public Schools

Monday - Chili and crackers, peanut butter sandwich, celery and carrot sticks, apple sauce.

Tuesday - Chicken nuggets, buttered corn, fruit cocktail.

Wednesday - Meat loaf, whipped potatoes, green beans, peaches.

Thursday - Polish sausage, baked beans, pear halves.

Friday - Fish fillet, spaghetti, pineapple chunks.

Holy Family

Monday - Hot dog on bun, french fries, baked beans, apple sauce, cupcake.

Tuesday - Pizza, green beans,

lettuce salad, peanut butter bread, peanuts and raisins.

Wednesday - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, carrot sticks, graham cracker cookie.

Thursday - No lunch.

Friday - Fish sandwich, macaroni and cheese, peas, peanut butter, chocolate pudding.

St. Elizabeth

Monday - Hot dog on bun, tator tots, baked beans, jello with fruit.

Tuesday - Chili and crackers, peanut butter sandwich, apple sauce.

Wednesday - Pizza, buttered vegetable, cherries.

Thursday - No school.

Friday - Vegetable soup, grilled cheese sandwich, cookies and fruit.

St. Mary's, Madison

Monday - Canneloni, garlic bread, salad, peaches.

Tuesday - Cheeseburgers,

french fries, corn, pineapple.

Wednesday - Chicken noodle soup, bologna and chicken sandwich, peas, pears.

Thursday - No school.

Friday - Tuna sandwich, potato chips, green beans, raisins and peanuts.

Senior Citizens

Monday - Cube steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, Italian vegetables, rice pudding.

Tuesday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, chef salad, french bread, fruit cocktail.

Wednesday - Chicken livers, scalloped potatoes, buttered carrots, fresh fruit.

Thursday - Beef tips with gravy, noodles, green beans, apple sauce.

Friday - Fried fish, baked potato, cole slaw, lemon fluff.

Head Start

Monday - Chili with ground beef and crackers, apple and carrot

salad, chocolate pudding.

Tuesday - Fish sticks, french fries, green beans, corn bread, muffin.

Thursday - Cream of tomato soup, spaghetti, wheat bread, tossed salad with dressing.

Friday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, Italian bread, tossed salad, french dressing, tapioca pudding, sliced peaches.

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STUDENTS SUPPORT UNITED WAY: The officers of the National Honor Society of Granite City High School present a check last week for \$1,422.35 to Ben Johannpeter, center, president of the Tri-Cities Area United Way board of directors. The NHS officers, from left, are Lisbeth Lyons, vice president; Eric Achenbach, president; Tracie Greco, secretary; and Julie Cox, treasurer. The student organization added \$125 to the money it collected for the fall campaign.

Combined effort paid off for United Way campaign

The people and industries of the Quad City area raised \$635,000 in the fall 1988 United Way Campaign.

The receipts will help support the 1989 operating costs of member agencies.

It took the combined efforts of individuals, industry, business and labor working together toward the common goal, said Judy White of the Tri-Cities Area United Way. That goal was to secure support for 22 area health and human service agencies serving the people of this community.

White said one of the lesser known aspects of a United Way campaign is the many people who support the United Way at work through payroll deduction. About 60 percent of the total

money pledged is from employee giving at the workplace.

"This is accomplished by the willingness of employers to offer payroll deduction to their employees, and then the willingness of employees to take an active part in meeting the needs of the community," she said.

"Often times, workplace meetings are held to explain the purpose and goals of the United Way. Giving is voluntary and each employer participates in planning the presentation to his employees."

"Illinois Power Co. was one of the most successful United Way employee campaigns for 1988. A joint effort made by labor and management resulted in a 25 percent increase in United Way contributions! A team of five

employees visited and toured United Way agencies and then shared what they observed with fellow employees at group meetings."

More than \$10,000 was contributed and 96 percent of Illinois Power employees in this area are participating in giving through payroll deductions.

"Learning about the agencies and realizing the need made our committee want to do all we could for the United Way," said Karen Straub, a team coordinator.

"The employees of Illinois Power are an example of the thousands of people and hundreds of local firms who support their community in an active and positive way."

K mart clerk, customer charged

GRANITE CITY — A scam-style operation in which a checker at the K mart store allegedly tallied considerably less money for purchases resulted in two women being sent to the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville on Tuesday.

Security guards at K mart, 3655 Nameoki Road, reported seeing a patron go through the checkout lane where the cash

register was operated by Sandra Kay Dunn of St. Louis. Dunn, 37, allegedly charged \$19.57 for merchandise later found to total \$209.62.

Dunn and the customer, Shari Ann Capella, 20, of the 4000 block of Kirpatrick Homes, were arrested at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 25 and booked for theft.

Among the items allegedly not

paid for were an electric drill, worth \$55, a coat, worth \$28, and a sweat suit, worth \$19.

Felony informations alleging retail theft were issued Tuesday through the Madison County State's Attorney's Office and Dunn and Capella appeared in the Granite City Court.

Bail for each woman was set at \$502.

Tacole holds Xmas contest

Tacole Mexican Restaurant will sponsor a "Young Authors Contest" open to area students in grades one through six.

To help spread the Christmas spirit, stories should have a Christmas theme. They must be original and no more than one page long, written or typed.

On the back of the story, the writer's name, age, grade, address and phone number should be written. It may then be turned in to the child's teacher, main office of the school or at Tacole, 3900 Nameoki Road.

One winner will be chosen from each of three categories: grades one and two, grades three and four, and grades five and six.

Each winner will receive a \$30 cash prize and have the story published in "Tacole Times," the restaurant's monthly newsletter.

Entries will be turned in through Dec. 16. Winners will be chosen by customer vote, which will take place Dec. 17-22. Winners will be notified on Dec. 23.

Central Baptist planning 'Operation Andrew' revival

Dr. Carl Hatch will hold an "Operation Andrew" revival at Central Baptist Church, 2840 Illinois 111, on Dec. 8 through 11 at 7:30 p.m. each night and 10 on Sunday.

Hatch has said that his religious beliefs helped him overcome an alcohol problem, which began at age 13.

Hatcher later went to Bible college and was ordained. He has been a minister in Michigan, Ohio, California and Florida.

The revival is part of the Fall Sunday School drive in progress at Central Baptist. The theme of the drive is "Others." On the last day of the revival, at 10 a.m. Dec. 11, the church will try to set a new attendance record.

Deaf interpreting is now provided for all services at the church. A nursery is provided for every service. The public is invited, said pastor Wayne Musatics. Those who need transportation should call 931-0964, Musatics said.



Dr. Carl Hatch

Women's Day services today

The Department of Women of the Mount Calvary Church of God in Christ, 1420 N. 40th St., Washington Park, observed its eighth annual Women's Day Service at 7:30 a.m. Saturday with a Free-Women's Day musical service with the young people of the church.

Performances will be repeated at 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Today.

The public, especially the women of the East area, are invited to attend.

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Government property sale here

GRANITE CITY — The Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office of Scott Air Force Base, will hold a retail sale of surplus government property Dec. 8.

The sale will be held in warehouse 5, section 1, at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City. The hours for the sale will be 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Items to be sold include typewriters, calculators, clothing, desks, chairs, file cabinets and couches, along with other consumer-type property.

Property will be marked with the sale price and offered on an as-is, first-come, first-served basis.

All sales will be in cash, with the purchaser required to remove the paid-for items on the day of the sale.

Weight loss program set

A "new you" for the New Year is the theme of the upcoming Optifast Program at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Optifast, offered through St. Elizabeth Medical Center, is a multidisciplinary treatment approach for patients who are more than 50 pounds, or at least 30 percent, over ideal body weight. The program combines medical supervision, a modified fast, behavioral modification, nutrition education group sessions and exercise.

An Optifast orientation program will be held Wednesday, Dec. 7, at 7 p.m. in the Wellness Center gym.

"The program, which begins after the holidays, is designed for individuals interested in changing their lifestyle for a healthier life," said Jim Chiappa, 788-3888, program director.

"This is an ideal chance for people to fulfill their New Year's resolutions. They can lose weight safely, under the supervision of a doctor and a specially trained staff of nurses and other medical professionals."

Newspaper welcomes school news

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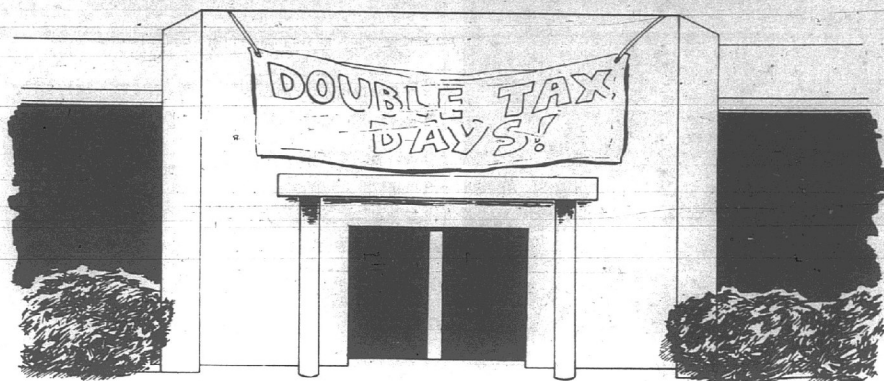
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ERIC STONE is flanked by his mother and father at left, and by scout official Don Lane, right.

Stone becomes Eagle Scout

Eric Stone, son of John and Betty Stone, of the 3400 block of Lydia Lane, was awarded the rank of Eagle Scout in a recent ceremony at Nameoki United Methodist Church, Granite City.

Stone, a junior at Granite City High School, is a member of Boy Scout Troop 46, chartered to the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department. As his service project, he planned and organized the cleaning of the "Spanish Cemetery" owned by the Granite City Odd Fellows Lodge. Stone is a brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Don Lane acted as master of ceremonies for the Eagle Scout ceremony.

The Rev. Jerry L. Reed of Nameoki United Methodist Church led the invocation and benediction.

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Following an organ prelude, "Hymn to Joy," the choir sang the call to worship, "Come and Worship."

The responsive reading was read by the congregation, and Jack Douglas gave the invocation, followed by the congregation singing the hymn, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come."

The Rev. Ivan Schoen, pastor of the church, welcomed everyone, and all shook hands while singing another hymn.

Dr. Manuel Tamayo, pastor of Central Christian Church, gave a scriptural reading on "Sharing Our Bounty," followed by a prayer, the offering to God and singing of the doxology.

The Rev. Ralph Totten, pastor of Niedringhaus Methodist Church, gave a "Thanksgiving for Blessings from God," followed by the congregation singing "Count Your Blessings."

Several people gave personal testimonies.

The choir sang "Surely Goodness and Mercy."

The Thanksgiving message, "You've Got a Lot to Live" was presented by the Rev. Ronald Peterson, pastor of St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ.

The hymn, "Sweet, Sweet Spirit," was sung.

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The benediction and prayer of dismissal were given by the Rev. Ralph Kier, pastor of First Presbyterian Church.

Other participants were Clinton Howard, music director; Paula Parker, organist; Elaine Krause, pianist; and ushers Milburn Wright, George Ehler and Charley Shanks.

Edward Gensert celebrated his 91st birthday Nov. 20 at a party given by his parents, Dave and Mary Ann Gensert of Blue Spruce Court.

Besides his parents, those in attendance were his sister and brother, Melanie and Jay; his great uncle, Tony Pogorelec; his godparents, Dr. and Mrs. Tim Stout, and their daughters, Gina, Ellen and Amy; his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burgess and daughters, Suzi and Connie; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson and children Laurie and Nathan; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moensia and son, Ryan; Mr. and

Mrs. Larry Reader and children Kathleen, Jon and Phillip; and Mrs. Dave Bigham and her son, Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. George (Glenn) Staggs hosted Mr. and Mrs. Jerry (Glenn) Freeman of Shawnee, Okla., last week.

Mervin, Howard, Steve and Kenny Lathrop, all of Granite City; Evert Coil of Flora, Ill.; Brian Morris and Glen Lathrop of Fairfield, Ill.; and Gary Borgens of St. Peters, Mo., have returned home from a week's deer hunting trip in the Ozarks in Pope County. They shot one deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom (Kathy) Green and children had as Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Tom (Lucille) Martin; Mrs. Roy Green, Kathy Holton; Bryan Mason; Robyn Campbell and children, Scott, Christina and Lynda Kay of Troy; Helen Galloway of Collinsville; Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Janet) Green and son J.T. of Peoria, Ill.; Wanda Dawson of Alton; and Mrs. and Mrs. Jay (Melissa) Green and daughter, Jessica, of Peoria.

Gregg Senter and Jennifer Price, who are students at Oklahoma Christian College in Oklahoma City, spent their Thanksgiving vacation visiting Senter's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Melba) Senter. Other weekend guests were Joe Senter Jr. of Granite City and Jeff Senter of St. Louis.

The Christian Singles group met Nov. 15 at the Granite City First Baptist Church, 21st Street and Delmar Avenue, for a potluck dinner.

Guests were singers Delores Boston, Raul Bell and Ruby Cook, who is also a pianist.

Earl Spaulding gave a reading, "My Life Story in Thirty Seconds."

Others attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Ivan Schoen and Sherrel and Sarah, Ray Liddell, Mary Reed, Evelyn Miles, Oliver Phillips, Ray Jones, Vicki Elmore, Charlotte Smith, Olive Joyner, Alfred Suhre, Hassie Jones, Louise Acock, Norma Rains and Myra Grote.

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Opti-Mrs. conduct meeting

The Granite City Opti-Mrs. Club met at noon Nov. 20 at Charlie's Restaurant, Granite City.

Hostesses were Tomea Kirchoff, Edna Bickel and Georgia Engelke.

The opening prayer was given by Bickel, and the Opti-Mrs. Creed was led by Mildred Branding. Dorothy Melvin

chaired the business portion of the meeting at which a report was given on the student nurse club supports.

Games were played, and prizes awarded to Marge O'Neill, Analee Reeves, Muriel Viehl, Dorothy McCauley and Branding. Also present were Nelle Jennings, Virginia John, Ann Little, Gladys Fape, Myra Parrish and Lorain Ranft.

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On page 27 we advertised Barbie's Ice Cream Shoppe by Mattel on sale for 26.99. We regret that this merchandise will not be available in all stores due to the manufacturer's inability to ship. Unfortunately, we cannot issue rain checks.

On page 29 we advertised our entire stock of Ghostbusters toys at 20% off, sale 2.99-35.99. Because the vendor is unable to ship, this merchandise may be in limited quantities. Sorry, we cannot issue rain checks.

We advertised Dirty Dunk laundry net on page 30, reg. 24.99, on sale for 18.99. This product may not be available in our stores before Tuesday. We expect a full supply by this time. We will gladly issue rain checks.

Mr. Coffee 10-cup coffeemaker, advertised on page 38, is on sale for 17.99. These coffeemakers may not be available in sufficient quantities due to the manufacturer's inability to ship. We will issue rain checks or our Customers may purchase the Black and Decker 10-cup coffeemaker, Model DCM9, for 15.99.

We advertised the Powerdrive cross country skier/crower on page 45, reg. 109.99, on sale for 79.99. Because of high Customer demand, this merchandise may not be in sufficient quantities in all stores. We will issue rain checks. Unfortunately, we will be unable to honor them before the Christmas holiday.

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Eta Chapter meets in area

The regular monthly social meeting of Eta Chapter of Phi Tau Omega Sorority was held Nov. 15 at Lombardo's Restaurant in St. Louis.

Hostesses for the party were Lorraine Butler, Mary Husler, Dolores Sheridan and Kathryn Weddell.

Fourteen members and two guests, Elsie Rodell and Janta Wolf, attended.

Preceding dinner, a short business meeting was conducted by club President Georgiana Van Buskirk.

Card games prizes were awarded to Jan Greathouse, Shirley Morgan, Mary Lou Richeson, Rodell and Wolf. Mary Evalyne Yencho won the Bank Night drawing, and Wolf won the raffle award.

Other members who attended the dinner party were Millie Greathouse, Eunice Hatcher, Jane Haug, Hilda Schroeder and Ann Tatum.

The next function of the Eta Chapter will be its Christmas party on Dec. 27.

Cub Pack 22 gets awards

Cub Scout Pack 22, sponsored by Frohardt School PTA, presented awards at its Nov. 17 meeting in the school gymnasium.

Dale Forguson was announced as the new assistant cubmaster.

John Hattwachs and John Valle of Den 4 were given their leader and assistant leader patches.

Andrew Swain of Den 4 was presented his Bobcat Badge.

A candlelight ceremony was used to present Webelos badges to Den 7. Recipients were Brett Downs, Douglas Mueller, John Hattwachs, Jimmy and Joey Planitz, Eric Werner, and Kenny Herod. Their mothers came forward to have the boys pin the

Mother's Webelos pins on them.

Handyman pins were given to Den 7's Douglas Mueller, Brett Downs, Kenny Herod, Eric Werner, and Joey and Jimmy Planitz.

Kenny Herod of Den 7 and his parents were called forward and presented a letter of congratulations from Mayor Von Dee Cruise to Herod for winning a gold and silver medal at the Uniwah District Physical Fitness contest.

Den 6 Webelos Fred San Soucie, Erik Smith, Jason Forguson and Dennis Beasley received their Fitness and Handyman pins.

Den 8's David Settlemyer received his Bobcat Badge.

Seniors hold last potluck of year

Members attended a potluck dinner at the Senior Citizens Center Saturday evening.

Attending were: Bob and Geny Alford, Karl Fulmer, Barbara Fulmer, Sylvia Simirda, Jim Seib, June Schib, Edna Webster, Jennie Wilson, Elva Lallemer, Balaska Daugherty, Verge Spalding, Lucille Healy, Marcela Cohen, Dona Hecklin, Millie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dagon, Bertha Hall, Julie Malnor, Andrew Sirirda, Mary Vornarski, Frances and Winfred Bringer.

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way, George Bass and Gladys Bass.

Those receiving prizes were Rose Scaturro, Florence Stewart, Edna Webster and Balaska Daugherty.

The next potluck dinner will be in January.

Carol Cuccatti and Phyllis Mir have returned from a trip to Atlantic City, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Daria) Bruehl had a Thanksgiving Day guests Mr. and Mrs. Ted and

Leola Tucker, Rick Jones, Melanie Knight and Norma Kimmell. Kimmell is from Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank (Agnes) Lindsay spent Thanksgiving with her son, Walter Speece, and family in Sparta, Ill. They were accompanied home Friday by her daughter, Nina Raye Howinson, of Fulton, Mo.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur and Nigel Lindblad of Georgia were guests of Frank and Agnes Lindsay of Nelson Drive on Sunday. They are visiting friends and relatives in the area.

Curtis and Mary Kerr from Camden, Mo., were guests of their son and daughter-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Joyce Kerr of Ruth Drive, last weekend.

Fellowship was held Sunday evening following the worship

service at Pontoon Baptist Church.

Celebrating birthdays were Sylvia Massman, Jane Kerr and Joey Boswell. Larry and Frances Brake celebrated their wedding anniversary.

A potluck dinner was served to Leta Kollenburn, Dorothy and Richard Rainey, Aaron and Jamie Christopher, Harold and Connie McBride, Ralph and Juanita Craycraft, Frank and Agnes Lindsay, Larry and Barbara Rigby, Gary and Barbara Chaney, Jill Chaney, Ruth and Roy King, Bob and Beulah Krause, Dee Owens, Lila and Ben Frost, Thomas and Lucille Martin, Maxine Green, Sharon and Ruth Ryan, Linda and Joey Boswell, the Rev. Kevin Kerr, Calley Dalton, and Rita Dalton.

Dalton of San Diego is visiting her mother, Calley Dalton. While here, she announced her engagement to Bob Blumensfeld.

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Robert L. Lindsey, Madison, and Sandra K. Brown, Granite City.

Robert A. Marquez, Santa Clara, Calif., and Angela R. King, Granite City.

Dennis C. Vanleet and Teresa A. Cummins, both of Madison.

Campbells have second daughter

David and Karen (Cowan) Campbell, East Alton, have announced the birth of a daughter, Kimberly Ann, 8 pounds, 15 ounces, born at 9 p.m. Oct. 30 at Scott Air Force Base Medical Center, Belleville.

The Campbells have two other children, Christopher, 13, and Carla, 7.

Grandparents are Glen and Connie Campbell of Wood River and Maurice Cowan of Granite City. Margaret Cowan, Granite City, is the great-grandmother.

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Seniors combine birthday, Thanksgiving

The annual Thanksgiving dinner for Chouteau Township Senior Citizens took on a special tone when member Delores Scott decided to sponsor the dinner in honor of the 80th birthday of her husband, Tom.

The hall was decorated with burgundy and rose colors. Vases filled with flowers were placed on the tables, covered with white tablecloths. Each place setting was set with favors and a champagne glass filled with cranberry juice cocktail.

Scott and all other members who celebrated November birthdays gathered at the head table, where they were joined with a corsage or boutonniere, compliments of Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Scott proposed a toast to her husband, and the 87 guests raised their glasses in his honor. The guests were treated to a turkey dinner with all the trimmings, followed by cake and ice cream.

The Night Hawks Band from Keosauqua, Ill., provided the music for dancing.

Special guests included Paul and Velma Schlusser, old friends of the Scotts, from Dayton, Ohio.

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By Maxine Duniphan
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who had stood up at their wedding, and friend Ed Holt, Granite City.

Other attending included Scott's relatives: sister-in-law, Marie Scott; brother, Vincent Scott; and wife, Juanita; sister, Dorothy Laughlin, and her husband, Kevin; and brother, John Scott, and his wife, Samantha, all of St. Louis.

Breakfast with Santa will be served again this year at the Chouteau Township Social Center, 906 N. Thorngate Drive, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Dec. 17. Doughnuts, milk, chocolate milk, orange drink and coffee will be served.

Santa will arrive at 9:30 and present each child with a treat bag.

The Joey James Band will entertain.

The event will be sponsored by Chouteau Township.

The hall will be decorated by the township board members and volunteers, and the tree will be decorated by a Girl Scout troop.

A meeting scheduled for Nov. 15 by the planners of a park on Chouteau Township property at 906 N. Thorngate Drive was canceled due to inclement weather. It will be rescheduled, a spokesman said.

Several residents have spear-

headed a drive to create a park on the unoccupied portion of the 6.5 acre parcel.

The park plans have been approved by the township board. The project does not involve a tax increase.

The park would include a jogging-walking trail around the cleared area. Plans call for keeping the wild flowers and shrubs on the outer perimeter, where bird feeders and a bird bath are planned. Benches would encircle a gazebo flanked by roses. A goldfish pond and a bridge over the pond to the gazebo are planned. Plans also

include a playground for small children.

The meeting is being called to measure the interest of the community. If community residents show a high level of interest then the project would proceed.

Storyteller Bobby Norfolk presented a program to Mitchell School students Nov. 7 that included "The Bremen-Town Musicians," "Kwaku Ananse and the Whipping Cord" and "The Old Woman with the Golden Arm."

Norfolk, the host of "Gator Tales" on KMOV-TV Channel 4,

is a featured performer at national storytelling festivals. He is artistic director of Polkale Productions, the KBDY radio host for storytelling, and he serves as host of "Children's Theatre at Bobby's House" on City Cable TV.

Norfolk has been a professional storyteller for nine years. His visit here was sponsored by the Mitchell School PTA.

Kelly Ahlers, Clint Griggs and Kim McNall, all sixth-graders, were selected as "Students of the Week" by learning center instructor Terry Lignoul.

Local Eagle women attend Moline rally

Local women attending the Eagles Northern Zone Rally held in Moline, Ill., on Nov. 4 through 6 were Southern Zone Trustee Florence Hagmann, State Council Co-Chairman Angie Buehler, Ruth Jorgensen and Vincine Zerk.

Harold Love from the local Eagles Aerie was also present.

Registration was held Friday evening and Saturday morning of the rally. Saturday, the Moline Championship Degree and Escort Team put on the men's initiation. The women's meeting was held Saturday afternoon.

The Moline auxiliary president welcomed everyone and turned the meeting over to State President Stephanie Smith.

Smith introduced her officers and state project chairmen. She

then introduced Central Regional President Bev Warfield and Patti Madam Grand President Doris Anderson. At a question-and-answer session, Anderson responded to most of the questions.

During a banquet, the Eagles baseball team from Moline donated a "bank of money" to Eagle Educational Fund Director Walt Wilmont. The Mount Vernon Aerie donated \$500 to Star milk. President Charles Landre's project to benefit autistic children. Past Grand Worthy President Ken Amshbaugh was the men's guest speaker.

Later in the evening, a dance was held.

A drawing was held for Smith's state project to benefit the Special Olympics. The drawing was won by Hagmann.

Museum ready for holiday; open house slated Dec. 11

Open house will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Dec. 11 at the Old Six Mile Museum, 3279 Maryville Road.

A country Christmas tree sits in the living room, with musical instruments and an ornamental horn arrangement, courtesy of Schermer's Garden Shop, Koenig said.

An Audubon Society Christmas tree is featured in the kitchen.

A display of early 1900 Christmas cards is in the acquisition room, along with Roy Graham's collection of buckskin cards dating about 1897.

Also featured are a Bible display, the Zippel Collection, Lady Baden Powell's Christmas card to the Girl Scouts of Granite City

and a holly tree from Schermer's Garden Shop.

In the hallway is an early typewriter on loan to the museum. A mini-doll tree is in the bedroom, and a special wall tree adorns the chimney in the sewing room, both from Schermer's Garden Shop, Koenig said.

A cookie and candy tree can be seen in the children's corner, along with Peggy Stevens' miniature doll house, which has been decorated for Christmas.

Other Christmas decorations around the museum are courtesy of Schermer's.

Museum tours will be given and refreshments will be available at a nominal price during the open house.

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Allen ends term under attack but upbeat and unapologetic

By John D. Millazzo
Staff affiliate

MARYVILLE — Dick Allen was upbeat Wednesday as he greeted friends, workers and political allies at a party he hosted on his last day as Madison County state's attorney.

Allen said he is looking forward to returning to his law practice in Granite City and more active involvement in politics. "I'm sure I'll be getting involved in the primaries for countywide office in another two years."

Allen rejected speculation that he might be interested in a judgeship. "Those people aren't supposed to be involved with politics. I wouldn't want a job where I was reduced to being a political enforcer."

Allen, who lost his bid for reelection to the office in the March primary to Bill Haine of Alton, has been at the center of heated controversy during his last weeks in office.

Haine, a former county board member and until Nov. 29 chairman of the Madison County Transit District, was sworn in Wednesday morning.

At the party in Maryville, in the basement banquet room of Tony's Restaurant, Allen expressed a conciliatory view point on his election loss and political maneuvers behind it.

Allen explained his reasons for recommending reduced sentences in several criminal cases in Madison County.

On the primary loss: "Everyone has an ego and in an election you'd always prefer winning to losing, but I bear no ill will against anyone."

Specifically, he said he has no hard feelings against either Haine or former Madison County Democratic Chairman Mac Warfield of Granite City, who Allen has said he considers instrumental in his loss.

Warfield was ineligible to run for a new term as party chairman after he was defeated for committeeman in his own precinct in the March primary.

Allen said he believes Warfield threw his support to Haine in the party's election caucus this year as a means of gathering sufficient support from Democrats in the northern end of the county to assure Warfield a new term as chairman.

"I never supported him, either as chairman when he ran for mayor (of Granite City), and I've never been a foot soldier for the (party) organization. So it came as no surprise that he didn't pull for me," Allen said.

At the farewell party, Allen spent time conferring with friends on his plans to actively work for the re-election of Granite City Mayor Von De Cruse in the April municipal election.

The only other candidate who has so far taken out nominating petitions for mayor has been Warfield, an unsuccessful candidate for the office in a three-way race four years ago.

Then, commenting on the controversy created over his court maneuvers in the past several weeks, Allen cited his personal philosophy on capital punishment and on severe penalties in general.

Alton police had become so concerned over recent attacks by Allen that for the last week of his administration an Alton police officer was posted at the courthouse in Edwardsville in an attempt to advise crime victims of any plea-bargaining activities on Allen's part.

"I think the matter is now moot," Alton Assistant Police Chief James Casper said Thursday, "although we did have some concern over the status of some of our cases."

Casper said Alton authorities were angered by recent Alton motions dismissing felony charges against Alton junior high school teacher Lester Mann, accused of sexual molestation of 13 young girl students.

"Our main concern was that the victims in these crimes and their parents at least be notified that there was plea bargaining going on and not to learn about it from the media," Casper said.

Allen also intervened in the October sentencing of Theron Smith of Alton, who had been convicted of murdering a retarded couple. In that instance Allen requested to have the state's request for the death penalty withdrawn.

Finally, on Tuesday Allen cleared a case in the retrial of Givrie Davis in the murder of several years ago of a Maryville-area woman, stipulating that the death sentence would not be sought.

"I really don't understand these expressions of surprise and concern," Allen said. "I was up front and open four years ago when I ran in saying that I was strongly opposed to the death penalty. These people are acting like this is something new; I have never misrepresented my philosophy on this."

Regarding the Davis case, Allen said Davis is already under one death penalty stemming from a St. Clair County homicide.

"I can't see the good of putting our county's courts through an extremely lengthy and expensive trial for a man who's already facing execution."

On his recommendation that felony charges against Mann be dropped, Allen noted that, in addition to facing misdemeanor charges, both Mann and the school district are facing civil charges filed by parents.

Allen contrasted the Mann case with that of a former Alton police officer who received the benefit of reduced charges in a sexual molestation case.

"There was a situation where a man was forced to resign, lost his livelihood and had two kids and a wife to take care of. You didn't hear a peep out of them (Alton authorities) when that came down," Allen said.

But Casper said Thursday that in the view of Alton authorities there were "several major differences in these cases."

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die the Granite City docket for Haine.

"We're going to get this sinking ship back afloat," Haine said. "Everyone on board is pulling their weight."

Among those kept by Haine in the criminal division are Robert Trone, Richard Ryback, Susan Jensen and Randy Massey.

Fred Bathon, a 33-year-old Madison Democrat, won the right to return to the auditor's office, this time as the department head.

Bathon was serving as chief deputy auditor when he was suddenly fired late last year by outgoing auditor Pete Fields, allegedly because of Bathon's support of Jerry Costello for Congress.

Fields also sought the congressional nomination.

Bathon said he and Fields had no contact during the transition. "He didn't offer any help, and I didn't ask for any," Bathon said.

The new auditor said he has no major changes in mind. In the forefront, he will be able to name someone to fill the chief deputy position, which was vacated in September when the occupant resigned to take another job.

"I don't know yet that the position will even be called chief deputy auditor," he said. "I'm not exactly sure yet of the structure of the office."

The chief deputy position is appointed; the remaining eight in the office are covered by union contract.

Bathon, who also holds elected office as treasurer of the City of Madison, said he has not yet decided to run for municipal reelection next spring. Filing for office won't take place until mid-January. "But (legally) I can hold both positions," he said.

Dan Donohoo, a certified public accountant from East Alton, is the newly elected recorder of deeds, having defeated incumbent Ronald P. "Rink" Lucas of Maryville in last spring's Democratic primary. Donohoo then handily defeated Republican

Horner Henke of Moro in the November general election.

"The first few weeks I'll just be evaluating the office," he said. "I haven't been lucky enough to get in here much before today." His few office visits were brief ones, he said.

Donohoo said he is allowed to appoint three deputies, and he has already reached agreement to keep the three currently in these jobs. There are a total of 13 employees in the office.

One improvement he hopes to consider is a continuation of bringing title companies "on line" with the data processing equipment in the recorder's office. That was an idea he had expressed in the spring primary, and one that outgoing recorder Lucas initiated in the last few weeks.

Donohoo's CPA practice in Wood River may be getting a new business partner as a result of time constraints with the new recorder's job. He said he may be able to start a business and announced after Dec. 12.

Investigation was done by the DCI (Division of Criminal Investigation), not our people. And, in that case both the DCI and the

victim's parents participated in the plea bargaining arrangement. Nothing like that happened in the Mann case."

Obituaries

Janco

Eva (Gallo) Janco, 82, of Granite City, died at 11:55 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 1, 1988, at The Colonial, 1000 N. 10th St., where she resided since April 1983.

Born Feb. 1, 1906, in Kovacia, Yugoslavia, Mrs. Janco lived in Granite City for 80 years. She was a member of the Apostolic Christian Church in Madison.

Her husband, John Janco Sr., died Dec. 2, 1967.

Survivors include four sons, John Janco Jr. and Albert Janco, both of Granite City, George Janco of Edwardsville and Steve Janco of Dubuque, Iowa; six daughters, Catherine Pace of Granite City, Mary Sue Nelson of Chicago, Elizabeth E. Arni of Sandwich, Anna Mae Ward of Little Rock, Ark., Eve Jean Welch of Aciola, Mo., and Evelyn Marie Boyd of Perkasie, Penn.; one brother, Steve Gallo of Granite City; three sisters, Mary Theria, Kathryn Gallo and Anna Gallo, all of Granite City; 28 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Martin Arni at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., at 10 a.m. Saturday. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

Roderick
Oliver "Ollie" Roderick, 72, of Granite City, died at 10 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 1, 1988, at home. He had been ill for one year and under the care of Hospice of Madison County.

Born Nov. 15, 1916, in Cadet, Mo., Mr. Roderick lived in Granite City for 63 years. He owned and operated Roderick's Restaurant from 1945 until 1984.

Mr. Roderick was an honorary lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus in which he held Fourth Degree rank. He also was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church.

Among the survivors are his wife, the former Theresa Juliette; two sons, Ronald and Gerald Roderick, all of Granite City; his mother, Mrs. Agnes Roderick of Granite City; three brothers, Richard Roderick of Granite City, Mildred Roderick of Columbus, Ohio, and James Roderick of Manhattan Beach, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Stanley (Cecelia) Cruse and Mrs. Joseph (Theresa) Harding, both of Granite City, and Mrs. George (Margaret) Schiber of San Bernardino, Calif., and seven grandchildren.

Visitation will continue from 2 to 6 p.m. today (Sunday) at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2901 Nameoki Ave., with the Rev. Thomas Wise officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Memorials to Holy Family Church or to Hospice of Madison County are suggested.

Alleged Peeping Tom patrolman pleads guilty to reduced charge

GRANITE CITY — A former policeman accused of being a Peeping Tom on duty had his day in court Wednesday.

Originally charged with a felony count of official misconduct, Scott Jenkins, 26, pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor charge of disorderly conduct and was fined \$200 and placed on six months probation.

Jenkins, who maintained his innocence, resigned from the police force in June, shortly before the scheduled start of a hearing on department charges.

At the time he said he couldn't financially afford the long process it would take to clear his name.

Jenkins had been a policeman three years.

He said Friday his guilty plea was part of a bargain to reduce

the charge and was made because "it couldn't afford the court time, the court costs and the cost of the lawyers a trial would take."

Jenkins, who said he now works for a private security firm, said he doesn't plan to attempt to rejoin the police force or to take any action against the department.

"I'm just kind of glad it's over so I can get on with my life," he said.

The original charge alleged that Jenkins, while on patrol duty, looked into the window, for a lewd purpose, of a 33-year-old woman. The alleged incident was reported to police by a witness. The victim was unaware of the incident until questioned by police later.

This because it would mean filling Louis Baer and generating money for the district through both the rental and by their buying lunches from us at a time when dollars are really tight," Hamm said.

He said public forums would be set up through Regional Superintendent of Schools Harry Briggs Jr. to inform citizens of the center's plans.

"We all have concerns about this and this board will not approve anything until those concerns are addressed," Hamm said.

The board's committee had hoped to meet with E.T.C. officials on Saturday but was unable to do so. A meeting will be scheduled for a later date.

Donna Edie

Donna L. (Rice) Edie, 41, of Granite City was fatally injured in an automobile accident and was pronounced dead at 3:28 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 3, 1988, at Staunton County Hospital, Staunton, by Macoupin County Coroner Charles Landers. A related story appears elsewhere in today's issue.

Born Sept. 17, 1947, in Granite City, Mrs. Edie was a lifetime resident. She was of the Protestant faith.

Mrs. Edie was employed for the past 12 years as a waitress at Kelly's Truck Stop in Troy.

She and her husband, Gary Edie, were married Aug. 6, 1983, in St. Louis. Her husband, who was injured in the accident, survives.

Also surviving are: two sons, Gary and Scott Cookson, both of Granite City; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Osce (Leota Freiner) Rice of Granite City; and a brother, David Rice of Granite City.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. Friends may call 876-4321 for details.

Stites Park Dist. petitions available

BROOKLYN — One commissioner for the Stites Township Park District will be elected in April for a six-year term.

Election petitions and information can be obtained at the home of Commissioner Willie Howard, 715 Washington Ave., Brooklyn.

Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:
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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sedabres, 2644 Edwards St., born Nov. 25, Courtney Jo, 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

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City school district.

A committee made up of Board Members Ed Dohnal, Bruce Trotts and President John Hamm III had been formed at the last meeting to confer with E.T.C. officials. At Thursday's meeting, Hamm requested that Madison Police Chief Charles Brinkley and Lt. Paul Bargiel be added to that committee.

"They have some concerns because of these kids being behaviorally disturbed and at this point I think we need all the input we can get," Hamm said.

Hamm was quick to point out that nothing on the matter will be approved by the board without being taken to the public first.

"We would really like to have

GC woman killed Saturday

A Granite City woman was killed and her husband and another person were injured in an accident on a road between Edwardsville and Staunton at 2:15 a.m. Saturday.

Donna L. (Rice) Edie, 41, of Granite City was fatally injured in the one-car crash on Williamson Road, east of Old Route 16.

According to an Illinois State Police spokesman, Mrs. Edie was a passenger in a 1984 Chrysler driven by her husband, Gary Edie, who was driving west on Williamson Road.

his car, which rolled over on the driver's side and struck a tree, the ISP trooper said.

Edie, 44, was injured in the crash and was admitted to St. Louis University Hospital.

Mary C. Edie, 21, of Blue Springs, Mo., also a passenger, was injured and was admitted at Staunton County Hospital in Staunton.

Charges filed against Gary Edie by State Police alleged illegal transportation of alcohol, being in a passing zone, not having a valid driver's license and not wearing a safety belt.

June Mowery

June Estelle (Hannebrink) Mowery, 60, of St. Clair, Mo., died at 2:37 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2, 1988, at St. John Mercy Medical Center, St. Louis. She had been ill for 2 1/2 years.

Mrs. Mowery was born Nov. 1, 1928, in Granite City. She resided in Madison for 55 years and in St. Clair for five years.

She was a key punch operator for 10 years for Western Electric, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Mowery was a member of the First Baptist Church of Madison. She was married for 35 years to Richard Mowery who survives.

Beside her husband, also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Fred (Linda) Harris, Gray Summit, Mo.; two sons, Richard Lee Mowery, Madison, and Jeffrey Mowery, St. Clair; and four grandchildren.

Visitation begins at 2 p.m. Monday at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3339 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, with the Rev. Paul Davis officiating. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road. Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church.

Brown

Erica Marie Brown, 4 days old, of Granite City, died at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1988, at Children's Hospital in St. Louis.

Survivors include her parents, Earl E. (Theresa) Hark (Smith) Brown of Granite City; maternal grandparents, Vern S. and Ruth McEntyre of Madison, and the paternal grandmother, Iva Farris of Elsmore, Mo.

Services were held Friday at Mercer Mortuary, Granite City, with the Rev. Ray Ogilvie officiating. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, Granite City.

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Funke

Irene Idamae Funke, 86, Granite City, died at 3:40 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1988, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She had been hospitalized one week and ill the same length of time.

Born May 3, 1902, in Edwardsville, Miss Funke resided in Granite City for 68 years. She retired in 1967 from the Vess Boatling Co., 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where she had worked as a secretary for 30 years. She was of the Protestant faith.

She is survived by several cousins, including Tillie Eighm of Fredericktown, Mo., Lillie Lippert of St. Louis and Mary Arthur of St. Jacob.

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Donoff

Rose J. (Jateff) Donoff, 77, of Granite City, died at 12:22 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2, 1988, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center where she was a patient for three weeks. She had been ill since March.

Born June 9, 1911, in Granite City, Mrs. Donoff was a lifelong resident. She and her husband formerly owned the 15 Acres Restaurant, Mitchell. She retired in 1977.

Mrs. Donoff was a member of the Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church, Madison. She served as treasurer of the Holy Trinity Sisterhood and was a member of the Macedonian Bulgarian Ladies Aid Society.

Her husband, Thomas Donoff, died in May 1968.

Survivors include one son, Alex Donoff of Granite City; one daughter, Mrs. George (Dorothy) Lambroff of Fort Wayne, Ind.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Visitation begins at 4 p.m. today (Sunday) at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where a prayer service will be conducted at 6 p.m. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church, 1300 Grand Ave., Madison. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Memorials to the church have been suggested.

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Funeral services were conducted Friday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Nindringhaus Ave., by the Rev. Jim Benzing. Burial was at Mercer Mortuary, Edwardsville. Memorials to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children are suggested.

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EIGHTH TERM BEGINS: Willard Portell takes the oath of office Thursday morning as clerk of the Third Circuit Court for the eighth term. He has held the position for 28 years. Chief Judge P.J. O'Neill, right, administered the oath of office to Portell.



FIFTH TERM AS CORONER: Chief Judge P.J. O'Neill administers the oath of office to Madison County Coroner Dallas Burke on Thursday morning. She begins her fifth term as coroner, having first been elected to the position in 1972. She was sworn in at the courthouse in Edwardsville.



NEW RECORDER OF DEEDS: Daniel Donohoo, right, takes the oath of office as Madison County recorder of deeds Thursday morning from Circuit Judge Paul Riley. Donohoo succeeds Ronald "Rink" Lucas in the county post.

(Staff photos by Patrick Foley)

Jason Robertson's now just another schoolboy

SOUTH ROXANA — Jason Robertson's wish to be just another schoolboy has come true.

He has a school. He has a teacher. He has friends and 22 classmates. Jason, 8, also has the virus that causes acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

Jason was exposed to the AIDS virus from tainted blood products used to treat his hemophilia. Because of that, schools in his hometown of Granite City assigned him to a separate

classroom. Later, he joined a regular class in Granite City.

After a stay in Missouri, his family moved to South Roxana this summer and Jason began attending classes this fall. Despite protests at first, life and school have gone well in South Roxana, said Jason's mother, Tammie Robertson.

Jason had refused to go to school in Granite City while he had a cast on his leg. He was afraid of looking different.

"He said he wasn't going to go

because he said it would just make mean people even meaner. Here, he doesn't even think about it," Robertson said.

Jason has been in a wheelchair a few times at South Roxana. He also has worn a shoulder cast to school, but the children accept and understand his situation, she said. A group of children sympathetic to him also had formed when he was at Frather School in Granite City.

Jason loves school — he has missed just two days since

enrolling this fall — said Earline Medcalf, his current teacher.

"He radiates pleasure each time he walks in," Medcalf said. "Jason is a good student and loves math."

"Jason's goal has been to be a normal child. I think he's doing fine. His stamina has improved, and

he loves to be around other children," she said.

The person nearest to Jason at school is Sharon Waters, a teacher aide and registered nurse hired for Medcalf's room.

"Mrs. Waters and Jason have developed a very special relationship. She knows when he is not feeling well. They communicate at times without speaking," said Principal Dorothy Stickels.

Waters assists with other classroom duties, but her main concern is Jason.

"I don't think anyone can spend the time I have with Jason and not share some of what he feels," Waters said.

"He has had very few problems. I think that is because he is so happy. He is around other children. He runs, he plays, he reacts normally," Waters said.

Tammie Robertson is pleased with the support shown to her son by the school and the community, but said she still misses Granite City.



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Sports
CommentBy Dave
WhaleyGood times ahead
for Lady Warriors

It might seem strange to say the Lady Warrior basketball team could be ready to make a big move upward. They are, after all, 0-2.

But based on their performance Wednesday in Edwardsville, there is reason to hope for bigger and better things for John Hutchings' team.

Games against the Tigers in recent years were "nightmares," according to Hutchings. The bad dreams were mostly due to the brilliance of Amy Nelson, the Tigers' version of Freddy Krueger.

But Nelson is at Southwest Missouri State now. Edwardsville certainly isn't as strong without her, but a winning tradition feeds on itself and the Tigers were surely a good early-season test. The Lady Warriors responded by standing face-to-face with the Tigers in their own gym for 32 minutes before falling short, 61-57.

On a couple of occasions when it appeared Edwardsville might take control, Granite City bounced back. And unlike last season, when it was Jennifer Cavaness or Kim Pawlak making the big bucket 99 percent of the time, the Lady Warriors got help from all five starters.

"All of our starters can contribute offensively for us," said Hutchings.

Pawlak did take control of the offense in the second half, bringing the ball upcourt for jumps shots and driving layups. And Cavaness got 15 points and some big rebounds. But there was significant help for that dynamic duo. Michelle Bequette helped the 6-2 Cavaness on the boards. Addie Lenzi made a couple of big baskets and steals, and Priscilla Meyenburg showed she can augment Pawlak's outside shooting with some of her own.

"We really missed Priscilla against Alton," Hutchings said of Tuesday's season-opening 65-58 loss at Memorial.

"She's our sparkplug." Meyenburg suffered a cut on her forehead in the first quarter Tuesday and sat out the rest of the night without scoring. She gutted it out Wednesday — although she was out for a while when she got another knock on the head — and scored 10 points.

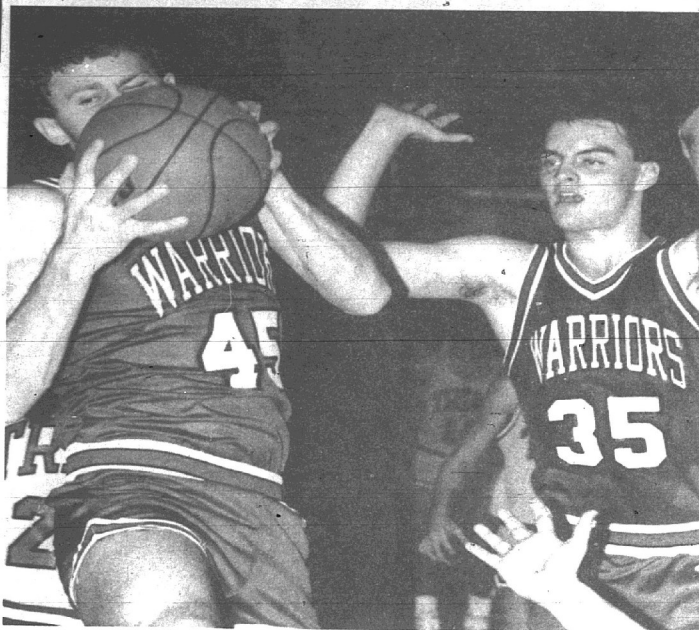
Foul trouble eventually caught up with Granite City. Bequette fouled out with less than two minutes left, and the Lady Warriors still ahead. And Granite City had to foul senior Jamie Schwan, the Tigers' best free-throw shooter. She was 4 for 4 from the line in the final minute for the decisive points.

The Lady Warriors will win some games this year, probably starting tomorrow at home against East St. Louis Assumption. But you can't help but think the best thing about this year's team is next year's potential.

There are no seniors. Lenzi is a sophomore and the other four starters are juniors. There are also some good sophomores and two freshmen, Karen Sykes and Kimberly Greer.

(See COLUMN, Page 3B)

Warriors move over .500 with OT win



JEFF SCHAEFER emphatically grabs a rebound with help from Mike Wilkinson during Friday's Warrior win at Triad.

By Gary King
Staff writer

ST. JACOB—The exorcism finally beat the demons. The river finally won the flood. The basketball Warriors, a little team of a team that last year couldn't, finally did.

The Warriors went a long way toward erasing any residue from their 4-21 campaign of last year by squeaking out a crucial 72-68 overtime win over the Triad Knights on Friday.

Depending on your point of view, Friday's Warrior victory could be described as the Game Twice Won, the Win That Nearly Got Lost, or a simple case of never missing the water until the well runs dry. Take your pick, they all fit.

Leading 64-55 with a minute remaining in regulation time, the Warriors (3-2) went on cruise control. Triad (0-4) responded by laying the pedal to the metal, rattling off back-to-back three-pointers in a 14-second span to draw within three. On a pair of Kory Burton free throws with 36 seconds left, Granite City went back up by five and appeared to be back on Easy Street.

But when Triad's Brian Leohring drilled another three-pointer with 31 seconds left and the Warriors responded by blowing a pair of free-throw opportunities, Easy Street began to resemble something off of Nightmare on Elm Street.

And with three seconds left, the Knights' Todd Panaitis made Granite City's mini-horror flick complete by laying in an errant shot by teammate Don Eddy to send the game into overtime, 66-66.

But the Triad offensive machine simply ran out of gas in overtime as Granite City rattled off a 6-2 spurt in the extra period to sneak away with the win.

Warrior coach Don Deterding stood in the Warrior locker room

SCORING

GRANITE CITY	18	14	18	18	68-72
TRIAD	18	12	18	20	68-68

GRANITE CITY: Burton 21, Cook 20 (8 3-pointers), Schaefer 11 (9 rebounds), Wilkinson 10 (5 assists), 5 steals. WILKINSON: 10 (8 rebounds), 8 assists, 12-20 (6 3-pointers), FT 18, PF 14.

TRIAD: Leohring 29, Bridges 15, Panaitis 10, Eddy 5, Jase 3, Globe 2, FG 26 (8 3-pointers), FT 12, PF 17.

after the game, his tie somewhat crooked and his stomach more than somewhat in need of a Rolaid. His message was simple: Demons be gone.

"That's what those crazy three-pointers will do," said Deterding in reference to Triad's 11th-hour comeback. "Man, those guys can shoot. Those were legitimate three-pointers they hit late in the game, and we had a man in the guy's face each time."

"But the important thing is that the guys found a way to win the game. Last year, we would've found a way to lose the doggone game."

The abundance of offensive exhibited by the erstwhile gun-shy Warriors was the result of increases both in the number and quality of weapons that contributed to the attack. Led by senior center Kory Burton and junior guard Matt Cook, all five Warrior starters scored in double figures.

Burton played his best game in a Warrior uniform, chalking up 21 points and five rebounds. Cook's shooting was not quite as judicious as it was in his career-high 29-point effort against Sparta last weekend, but he still collected 20 points on six three-pointers.

Forward Jeff Schaefer chipped in with 11 points, nine rebounds and three steals, and guards Mike Wilkinson and John VanBudo each added 10 points. Van-

(See WARRIORS, Page 3B)

Area talent to face nation's
best in 7UP/KMOX ShootoutBy Curtis Duncan Jr.
Staff writer

ST. LOUIS — Area basketball fans will definitely get their fill of high school hoops on Dec. 8 at the 8th annual 7UP/KMOX Shootout.

Wednesday's press conference at the Marriott was filled with pats on the back by the coaches of each team as they played up their opponents while downplaying their team's chances.

East St. Louis Lincoln (28-4 last year, 3-0 this year) will take on Louisville Ballard in the last matchup at 9:45 p.m. It could be a matter of saving the best for last.

Lincoln will enter the tournament after playing in the Cincinnati Shootout this weekend. The Tigers won the Rock Island Tournament last weekend as junior forward Cuonzo Martin scored at least 30 points in each of the Tigers' three victories.

Tiger coach Bennie Lewis said his club, two-time defending Illinois Class AA champions, will be tough defensively with a diamond-and-one press and they will run the fast break on Ballard.

"We'll run the diamond-and-one and try to force some turnovers as well running a fast-

paced offense," said Lewis, who has a 345-101 record in 16 seasons at Lincoln.

The Tigers will have also have to try to find a way to stop All-American forward Allan Houston, who is averaging 21 points and seven rebounds a game for the Bruins this season. Houston is the son of Louisville assistant coach Wade Houston, now an assistant coach to Denny Crum at Louisville. Allan Houston will be a Cardinal next year.

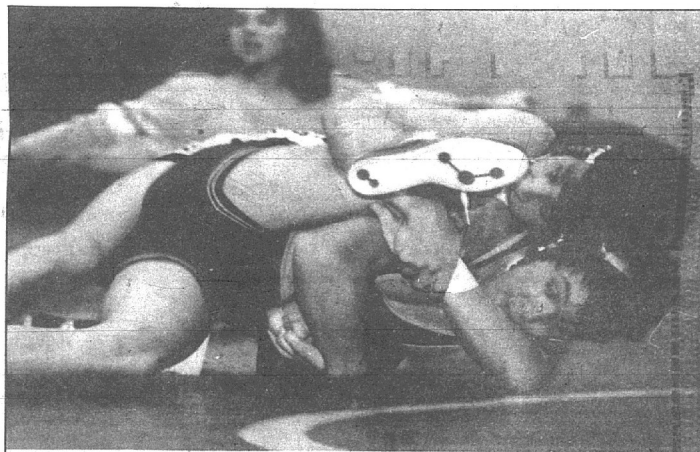
"We don't know that much about Houston, but since he is a All-American we know that he'll be a handful for us," Lewis said.

Ballard, ranked 15th in USA Today's pre-season national rankings, will feature much of the same style of play as Lincoln, using a run-and-gun offense and a tough, pressure defense.

"This game will be a great measure for us to see where we are early in the year," said Bruin coach Scott Davenport, 66-9 in two seasons.

In the opening match of the night at 5:15, Lutheran North of St. Louis (24-4 last year) will battle Carlyle (26-6) in what promises to be a bruising game. Both schools won state football championships this fall.

(See SHOOTOUT, Page 3B)



BRYAN PRITCHETT (top) of the Warriors gains the advantage on Roxana's Bryan Smith during the 119-pound match Friday at Rana. Result's of Friday's dual meet and Saturday's action in Peoria will appear in Wednesday's Journal.

(Photo by Pam Doepke)

Scoreboard

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Tom Fard	321
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Scott Johnson	177
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Scott Serich	71
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Christina Greenhouse	254
Tiffany Harris	239
Holly Ryan	194
Katie Serich	164
Girls high game	
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Kimberly Greer	71
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Katie Gregory	311
Girls high game	
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Slacy Jackson	237
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Warriors

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Buskirk also pulled down seven rebounds and dished out four assists, while Wilkinson collected six rebounds, six assists and four steals in the win.

The Knights were led by the sharp-shooting duo of Leehring (27 points) and Keith Bridges (21 points). Pranaitis also knocked in 10 points.

"We've had some close ballgames like this," said Triad coach Richard Mason. "We came back and had a shot at them, but we just weren't able to make it over the hump. I'd think our inexperience in ball-handling and passing would have to be the negative aspect of the game for us. We just did some careless things that cost us the ballgame."

Deterding, too, saw his squad make its share of blunders.

"We've just got to use our

head more," he said. "We did some stupid things out there tonight. The game should've never even gone to overtime. We should've been there to rebound that shot."

"But I thought we shot free throws fairly well and I was pleased with the play of our inside people. All five of our starters scoring in double figures also indicates that everybody's doing their job. That's a very, very positive thing."

All in all, Deterding said he still sees his team as a five-pronged question mark.

"I'm happy with our play on one side, but I'm discouraged on the other side," he said. "But I think my happy side still has to outweigh my discouraged side. We haven't beat any world-beaters yet, but I think we've done all right."

And the demons are rapidly fading.



UNDEFEATED: Movie Mania finished with an undefeated record in the Quad-Cities Soccer Association Senior Atom Division this fall. Team members included, front row from left, Matt Vehlning, Walt Weissenborn, Matt James, Jonus Janek and Tim Jackstadt. Second row from left, Dave Parker, John Mills, Andrew Oney, Alex Bautsch, Adam

Cruse, Paul Yehling and Walter Greathouse III. Third row from left, B.J. Neidhardt, Steve Mathes, Mark Achenbach, Tim Goskie and Dustin Johnson. Back row from left, coaches Mike Parkinson, Jeff Parker, Bob Goskie, Sam Naney, Joshua Hilderbrand and Joey Arnold.

Shootout

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Lutheran North returns four starters: 6-6 Tony Johnson, 6-0 Bill Jolly, 5-5 Anthony Virdure and 6-3 Dan Eberle.

Carlye coach Brad Weathers returns four starters from last year's sectional finalist team that lost to Pinckneyville, the eventual Illinois Class A runner-up.

Tom Michael will be the centerpiece of the Indian attack. Michael averaged 22 points and 10 rebounds per game last year and will attend the University of Illinois next year.

He will be flanked by 6-6 Jason Peters and 5-11 guard Scott Horner. Horner was the quarterback of the Indians' Class 2A football champs.

The Indians have had only two practices and no games since winning the football title last Friday.

"We just hope that we can be ready for Lutheran North next week," said Weathers.

The second game at 6:45 will feature Desmet (22-7 last year) against Archbishop Molloy of New York (23-3).

The Spartans will be making their fifth appearance in the Shootout while Archbishop Molloy appear in the Shootout

for the first time.

Desmet will be led by 6-2 guard Jeff Gaona and 6-7 pivot man Ryan Stockbarger. Both players were honorable mention All-America selections last year.

The Spartans have won four Missouri Class 4A championships and lost in the quarterfinals to eventual champion Vashon. Dale Burgman, who succeeded current St. Louis U. coach Rich Granger at DeSmet, is 152-56 in seven seasons.

Archbishop Molloy has the consensus number one player in the country in 6-2 point guard Kenny Anderson. Anderson averaged 24 points and seven assists per game last year and is the most publicized high school player in New York City since Lew

Aicindor (Kareem Abdul-Jabbar).

Molloy coach Jack Curran is 570-176 in 30 years of coaching, with five New York City championships. He succeeded St. John's University coach Lou Carnesecca at Molloy and has also had tremendous success as Molloy's baseball coach. He is the third-winningest prep baseball coach in America and has won 13 New York City baseball titles.

In the third game at 8:15, Vashon of St. Louis (30-1 last year) will go against Miami (Fla.) Senior High (35-2).

The Wolverines have won four Missouri state titles in the past six years and return 6-11 Melvin Robinson, 6-6 Montrell Nash, 5-9 point guard Anthony Jones and 6-3 Mark Gant.

GC soccer alumni banquet is Dec. 23

The Granite City soccer alumni banquet will be held Dec. 23 at St. Gregory's Armenian Hall.

The banquet will begin at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased at Jim's Cuts & Styles, 2720 Nameoki Road; Sheridan's Drug Store, 2301 State St.; or by contacting Ranney and Rosanne Rich, 878-7346; or Larry and Shirley Ryan, 2560 Westmoreland.

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Column

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Melissa McIlvoy, with good size. Any progress this year can be carried over to next year without having to make any lineup changes.

So it won't be surprising — assuming reasonable progress continues — to find the Lady Warriors among the area's genuine powers in 1989-90.

Girls sports at Granite City High School could use a boost. And next year's four seniors — Cavanaugh, Pawlak, Bequette and Meyenburg — could provide that boost just as another quartet — Wendy Knollman, Tammy LeVault, Beth Earney and Lisa Mills — lifted the Lady Warrior volleyball team to the heights in 1987.

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FEELING FIT

by Danny Cox



A little salt sprinkled on your food at the table tastes better and is less harmful than salt in prepared foods, according to a report in The Lancet medical journal. Seems that test subjects actually used less salt flavoring low-sodium foods, but could taste it more.

Potatoes don't deserve their bad reputation. A 6-ounce potato contains lots of fiber, niacin, vitamin C, and potassium — and just 180 calories.

Exercise is extra important for astronauts, because low gravity causes the body to deteriorate. NASA is putting a special treadmill in the shuttle to keep space explorers fit.

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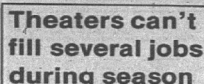
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